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	Examiner Name	U. Winkler
	Title	<i>Antibodies specific for proteins having polyglutamine expansions</i>

Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the final Office Action dated April 19, 2004, for which a three-month period for response was given, making this response due on or before July 19, 2004.

Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Applicants submit that the amendments set forth below raise no new issues. Rather, the amendments place the claims in form for allowance or in better form for appeal. Entry of these amendments is thus respectfully requested.

In view of the remarks put forth below, reconsideration and allowance are respectfully requested.

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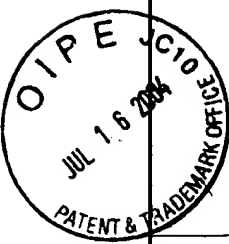


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